

NEW HAMPSHIRE

FILING FOR OFFICE June 1 – 10, 2016

FOR ALL CANDIDATES FILING DECLARATIONS OF CANDIDACY:

(This is for candidates filing as republican or democratic to run in the State Primary Election - September 13, 2016)

All candidates **MUST** pay the administrative assessment fee OR file the required number of primary petitions as indicated below (RSA 655:19-c) Assent to Candidacy must accompany primary petitions.

	Administrative Assessment Fee	OR	Primary Petitions
Governor / U.S. Senator	\$100		200
Representative in Congress	\$50		100
Executive Councilor	\$25		50
State Senator	\$10		20
County Officer	\$10		50
State Representative**	\$2		5
Delegate to the Republican State Convention**	0		0

^{**}Filings to be made at the Town or City Clerk's Office where candidate is domiciled. *All other filings to be at the Secretary of State's Office*. Filings made with the Secretary of State or the Town or City Clerk on the **last day of the filing period MUST be IN PERSON BY THE CANDIDATE**. (June 10, 2016 5:00 p.m.)

INCOMPATIBLE OFFICES: No person shall file declarations of candidacy or primary petitions for nomination at the primary for incompatible offices. See RSA 655:10 for incompatible offices.

FOR ALL CANDIDATES AND POLITICAL ORGANIZATIONS FILING DECLARATIONS OF INTENT:

(For individuals who intend to be a candidate in the general election from a political organization and for political organizations who wish to have the names of their candidates placed on the general election ballot)

(RSA 655:17-a, 17-c, 40-45) All candidates MUST pay the administrative assessment fee AND file the required nomination papers.

Declarations of Intent for **ALL OFFICES** and **POLITICAL ORGANIZATIONS** shall be filed at the Secretary of State's Office between June 1-10, 2016.

	Administrative Assessment Fee	AND	Nomination Papers
Governor / U.S. Senator	\$100		3,000*
Representative in Congress	\$50		1,500
Executive Councilor	\$25		750
State Senator	\$10		750
County Officer	\$10		150
State Representative	\$2		150
Political Organization	N/A		14,864

Filing Deadlines for Nomination Papers:

August 10, 2016 - Last day to submit signed nomination papers to Supervisors of the Checklist in each town or city

August 31, 2016 5:00 p.m. - Supervisors must have nomination papers certified for candidates

September 7, 2016 5:00 p.m. - Last day to file certified nomination papers with the Secretary of State's Office

(Nomination papers must be grouped by municipality when filed with the Secretary of State's Office)

**1,500 from each <u>congressional district</u>. Nomination papers for all other offices must be signed by registered voters domiciled in the district from which the voter is a candidate.

All forms are or will be available from the Secretary of State's Office, State House, Room 204, Concord NH 03301.

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